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Fathers, Women, and Sex

Over half of all marriages in the US end in divorce. Though devastating to the institution of marriage and the ideal “traditional American Family”, divorce is not at the root of marital demolition. According to Webster’s Dictionary, “fatherlessness” is defined as, “the state of not having a father.” This encompasses the lack of a father by divorce, death, separation or emotional detachment. Some claim that the love and support of a mother is sufficient, but a young woman’s personality and self-image is largely affected by the presence, or lack thereof, of a father figure. Women with absent fathers in their lives tend to become more promiscuous at an earlier age, and have multiple failed relationships. This often creates a chain of single mothers, a concept that is becoming increasingly accepted – the new norm.

A missing father provides for the “missing link” in a young woman’s psychological development.

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